



Hello; my name is *Shelly Perez*. I am a 36 year old mother with 3 pain diseases. I am allergic to all narcotics and I EMPLOYEE MONTANANS. My husband and I lost a very successful business due to the economy. We HAVE RE-TRAINED & RE-EMPLOYED all of our construction employees into a safer, healthier occupation. We now put 4 times the amount of income into our local economy than we were ever able to before.

Have you seen the results for recent medical discoveries using cannabis?

They have documented medical evidence of cannabis healing skin cancer (Melanoma). Using no radiation; no chemotherapy just CBD's (there are 56 know cannabinoids in the plant). Are you educated enough about what CBD's do before you put it on the on the chopping block? Please be educated before you vote. Be strong; be a leader. VOTE NO on HB 161. Please support regulation not destruction.

You have an obligation to Montanan's; we voted you in to use your education and your knowledge to lead. Please be the leaders we voted in. Don't just fall in line and vote according to party or religious agenda's.

Please take the time to be educated. Look at all documented medical facts. If our leaders do not lead I see little future for modern medicine.

How sad for humankind.

Life is about tolerance.

Thank you for your consideration,

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